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Letter dated 3 July 1995 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Bosnia and Herzegovina to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

The Government of the so-called Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Serbia and Montenegro) has continued the recent forceful mobilization of ethnic Serb citizens of the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina who currently hold refugee status in the so-called Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, as reported by the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR), the international, as well as the Serbian independent media. This forceful mobilization has encompassed even those persons who were residents of the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina prior to becoming residents of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia. These forcefully mobilized persons are being dispatched immediately to the aggressor's paramilitary units. In a similar way mobilized ethnic Serb citizens of the Republic of Croatia, currently residing in the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, are being sent to the battlefields in the Bihać region.

This mobilization is being carried out by the military police of the Pale Serbs with the full cooperation and support of the police and military authorities of the so-called Federal Republic of Yugoslavia.

The Government of the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina condemns these actions in the strongest terms. It considers them a most serious violation of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia's decision to close the border and cut off, inter alia, all the contacts with the leadership of Bosnian Serbs, and an act of

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continuing aggression carried out against our country. These actions represent a grave breach of the Geneva Conventions, international law and relevant Security Council resolutions, including resolutions 943 (1994), 970 (1995) and 988 (1995).

The Government of the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina requests that you undertake the appropriate measures in accordance with resolution 943 (1994), paragraphs 3 and 4, and recall the current regime of sanctions relief towards the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia.

May I ask for your kind assistance in circulating the present letter as a document of the General Assembly, under item 114 (c) of the preliminary list, and of the Security Council.

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